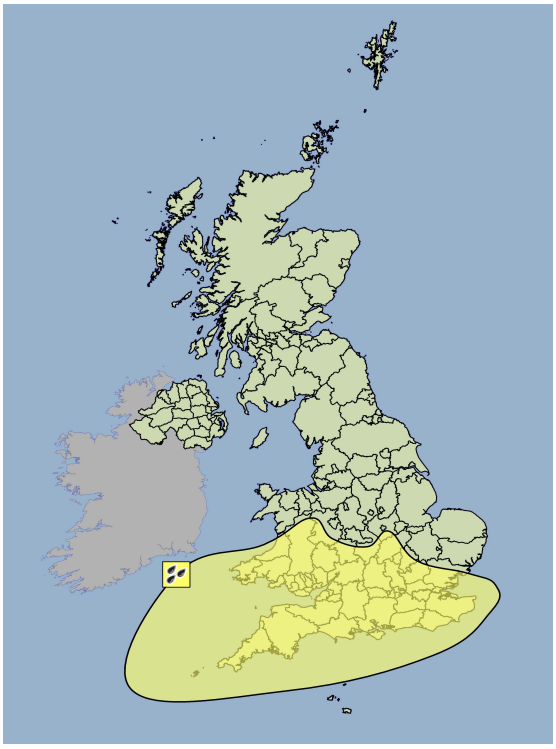
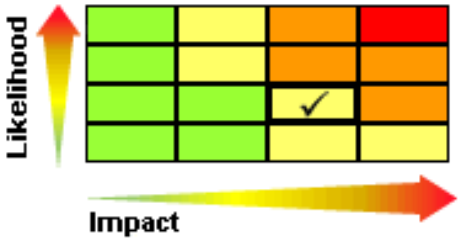
National Severe Weather Warning Service





Chief Forecasters Assessment
Another area of low pressure will bring spells of heavy rain to southern parts of the UK during Thursday and early Friday, with 15 to 25 mm of rain falling widely and locally 40 mm in southern England and south Wales. As the low pressure moves eastwards, strong west to northwesterly winds, with gusts of 50-60 mph, will affect exposed parts of southwest England during the early hours of Friday and possibly the coasts of Sussex and Kent later in the morning.

A further Atlantic frontal system will bring a band of rain quickly eastwards during Friday night and early Saturday, with the heaviest rain again likely to be across parts of southern England and south Wales, followed in turn by heavy showers. Winds will also be a feature with severe gales possible around coasts in the south and southwest of England.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **12:00 on Thu, 06th Feb 2014** until **23:00 on Sat, 08th Feb 2014**

Further spells of heavy rain will affect southern parts of England, the Midlands and parts of mid and south Wales during the rest of Thursday, clearing from the west during Friday morning. Northwesterly gales may also affect parts of southwest England during the early hours of Friday and exposed coasts of Sussex and Kent later on Friday morning.

Another band of rain, heavy at times, accompanied by coastal gales will affect southwest England and Wales during Friday evening, moving quickly east across the UK early on Saturday, followed by frequent heavy and squally showers.

The public should be aware that further disruption due to flooding is likely.

This is an update to the warning issued on Wednesday, extending the area of the warning further north across the Midlands and mid Wales.

For enquiries regarding this warning please contact the Met Office Weather Desk
Phone: 0870 900 0100 Fax: 0870 900 5050 E-mail: enquiries@metoffice.gov.uk
© Crown copyright. Met Office

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

Issued by the Met Office at 12:00 on Mon, 03rd Feb 2014

Updated by the Met Office at 10:50 on Thu, 06th Feb 2014

For enquiries regarding this warning please contact the Met Office Weather Desk
Phone: 0870 900 0100 Fax: 0870 900 5050 E-mail: enquiries@metoffice.gov.uk
© Crown copyright. Met Office

For the following areas

- East Midlands
  - Leicestershire
  - Northamptonshire
- East of England
  - Bedford
  - Central Bedfordshire
  - Essex
  - Hertfordshire
  - Luton
  - Southend-on-Sea
  - Thurrock
- London & South East England
  - Bracknell Forest
  - Brighton and Hove
  - Buckinghamshire
  - East Sussex
  - Greater London
  - Hampshire
  - Isle of Wight
  - Kent
  - Medway
  - Milton Keynes
  - Oxfordshire
  - Portsmouth
  - Reading
  - Slough
  - Southampton
  - Surrey
  - West Berkshire
  - West Sussex
  - Windsor and Maidenhead
  - Wokingham
- South West England
  - Bath and North East Somerset
  - Bournemouth
  - Bristol
  - Cornwall
  - Devon
  - Dorset
  - Gloucestershire
  - Isles of Scilly
  - North Somerset
  - Plymouth
  - Poole
  - Somerset
  - South Gloucestershire
  - Swindon
  - Torbay
  - Wiltshire
- Wales
  - Blaenau Gwent
  - Bridgend
  - Caerphilly
  - Cardiff
  - Carmarthenshire
  - Ceredigion
  - Merthyr Tydfil
  - Monmouthshire
  - Neath Port Talbot
  - Newport
  - Pembrokeshire
  - Powys
  - Rhonnda Cynon Taff
  - Swansea
  - Torfaen
  - Vale of Glamorgan
- West Midlands
  - Herefordshire
  - Shropshire
  - Warwickshire
  - Worcestershire

For enquiries regarding this warning please contact the Met Office Weather Desk
Phone: 0870 900 0100 Fax: 0870 900 5050 E-mail: enquiries@metoffice.gov.uk
© Crown copyright. Met Office